Sri SANJEEVANATH AIKALA.–The provisions of the said Act clearly envisage that no milling should be permitted wherever the hand-pounding co-operative societies come forward to take up this work in South Kanara District. How many co-operative societies were formed to undertake hand-pounding?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಸಕಾತ್ ಕೆನರಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಈಗ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾ ಇಲ್ಲ ಬಹಳ ರೇರ್ ಕೇಸಸ್. ಎಲ್ಲ ಹ್ಯಾಂಡ್ ಪೌಂಡಿಗ್ ಪವರ್ ಮಿಲ್ಲುಗಳು ಇರುವದಿಲ್ಲವೋ ಅಲ್ಲಗೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ್ ಪರ್ಮಿಟ್ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ. ಅಲ್ಲಗೆ in the course of three or four years for a big district like South Kanara where rice is the staple food, 14 hullers is little compared to the growing population. Handpounding is an old industry in South Kanara and paddy used to be dehusked in individual houses.

Sri SANJEEVANATH AIKALA.—There is absolutely no necessity for giving extra permission.

Mr. SPEAKER.—It is either giving information or something addressed to me.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎ. ತಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪ ಗೌಡ.—ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಹ್ಯಾಂಡ್ ಪೌಂಡಿಂಗ್ ರೈಸನ್ನು ಯಾರೂ ಮಾಡಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾ ಇಲ್ಲ. ಮುಸ್ತ ಬತ್ತವನ್ನು ಯಾರೂ ಕಟ್ಟುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಬೇಡುದು ಎಲ್ಲರಿಗೂ ಗೊತ್ತಿರುವಾಗ, ಮುಂದೆ ರೈಸ್ ಮಿಲ್ಲಗೆ ಲೈಸೆನ್ ಪರ್ಮಿಷ್ಕೊಡುವಾಗ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಲಿಬರಲ್ ಆಗಿದ್ದರೆ ಅನೇಕರಿಗೆ ಈಗ ಆಗುತ್ತಿರುವ ತೊಂದರೆ ತಪ್ಪುತ್ತದೆ ಅಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.— ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಈ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಲಿಬರಲ್ಲಾಗಿರಬೇಕೆಂದೇ ಈಗ ಒಂದು ಮಧ್ಯ ಮಾರ್ಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೋಗುತ್ತಿರುವುದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಎಂ. ಕೃಷ್ಣ.—ಈಗಿನ ತುರ್ತು ಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿಯ ದೆಸೆಯಿಂದಾದರೂ ಕೂಡ ಈ ಸಭೆಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಕಾಗದಗಳು ಬೇಗ ಮೂವ್ ಆಗುವುದು ಎಂಬುದಾಗಿ ಭರವಸೆಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಆ ತುರ್ತು ಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿ ಈ ಅಧಿವೇಶನದವರೆಗೂ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎ. ತಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪ ಗೌಡ;—ರೈಸ್ ಮಿಲ್ಲನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಕ್ಕಿಯನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ತಿ ಪಾಲಿಷ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಬದಲಾಗಿ ಕಡಮೆ ಪಾಲಿಷ್ ಮಾಡುವಂತೆ ಸೂಚನೆ ಕೊಡುವುದರಿಂದ ಕೊಟ್ಟಣದ ಅಕ್ಕಿಯನ್ನು ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸುವವರಿಗಿಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಪ್ರಯೋಜನವಾಗುತ್ತದಲ್ಲವೇ?

Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA.—Mr. Munshi when he was the Food Minister at the Centre said that we would be self-sufficient in food. He issued an order asking mills to reduce the polish by 4 per cent, but that was never followed. Never could India stop imports, and we had to relax that order.

An HON'BLE MEMBER.—Sir, I refer to Rule 42 (3) which says:

> "After all the questions have been called, the Speaker may, if time permits, call again any question which has not been asked by reason of the absence of the member in whose name it stands."

In view of this sub-rule, I request the Chair to again call the questions of Sri Anna Rao.

Mr. SPEAKER.—That has been done. I called his questions twice and the Hon'ble Member was absent on both the occasions.

Sri S. SHIVAPPA.—The short notice questions have not been answered.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I will look into them. Question time is over.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Improvements made in the Depressed Class Colony started near Ganjalagunte (Gandhinagar) in Hiriyur Taluk.

*Q.—55. Sri V. MASIYAPPA (Hiriyur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether a Depressed Class Colony is started near Ga jalagunte (Gandhi Nagar) in Hiriyur Taluk;

(*b*) the progress made in the Colony in the matter of improving the standard of life of the colonists;

(*c*) whether any estimate is prepared to construct an irrigation tank to the halla near that colony;

(*d*) whether the estimate is sanctioned?

A.—Smt. YASHODARA DASAPPA (Minister for Social Welfare).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Lands have been granted free of cost to the colonists for cultivation. Grants were sanctioned for purchase of plough bullocks, agricultural implements seeds and manure. Besides this, grants were allotted for construction of houses at the colony.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) No.

Survey of various Minor Irrigation Schemes in Afzalpur Taluk.

*Q.—255. Sri ANNA RAO GANAMUKHI (Afzalpur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they have surveyed the various Minor Irrigation Schemes in Afzalpur Taluk, Gulbarga District;

(*b*) if so, the number of such schemes surveyed and the acre that will be irrigated under each scheme;

(*c*) the villages that will be submerged as a result of these schemes;

(*d*) the annual return that is expected on the capital invested.

A.—Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Deputy Minister for Minor Irrigation).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) do not arise in view of reply to clause (*a*) above.

Staggering of the Fee increase effected recently in the Ex-Mysore Colleges.

*Q.—256. Sri ANNA RAO GANAMUKHI (Afzalpur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the Education Minister has promised to stagger the fee increase effected recently in the ex-Mysore College on the representation of the Parents Association;

(*b*) if the answer to (*a*) above is in the affirmative the action they have taken in this regard?

A.—Sri S. R. KANTHI (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to (*a*) above.

Iron Quota given to the Mahatma Hostel, Kamalapur, Gulbarga District.

*Q.—262. Sri ANNA RAO GANAMUKHI (Afzalpur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether Mahatma Hostel, Kamalapur, Gulbarga District, has been given iron quota of eight tons at control rates through any iron stockist, Gulbarga.

(*b*) whether the Chairman of the above Hostel has lodged a complaint with the Deputy Commissioner, Gulbarga, and the Assistant Iron Controller, Hubli, saying that the iron stockist did not give the quantity as per the metric measure and consequently the Mahatma Hostel had suffered a loss of half metric ton;

(*c*) if the answer to (*a*) and (*b*) above is in the affirmative, what action do they propose to take against the above stockist?

A.—Sri K. MALLAPPA (Minister for Industries and Commerce).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The question of taking action against the stockist does not arise since it is found on investigation that the complaint is baseless.

CALLING ATTENTION TO A MATTER OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE.

Re: **The Krishna-Godavari dispute between Mysore and Andhra Pradesh.**

† Sri S. M. KRISHNA (Maddur).—Sir, if the question hour is over, I would like your permission to draw the attention of the Government to a reported Statement by the Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh in hte